

obligation on the part of Commerce to cover preaward costs.

8. *False statements.* A false statement on the application is grounds for denial or termination of funds and grounds for possible punishment by a fine or imprisonment (18 U.S.C. 1001).

#### Classification

This action has been determined to be not significant for purposes of E.O. 12866.

Applications under this program are subject to Executive Order 12372, "Intergovernmental Review of Federal Programs."

This document contains a collection-of-information requirement subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act. The collection of this information has been approved by OMB, OMB control number 0648-0135.

A notice of availability of financial assistance for fisheries research and development projects will also appear in the "Commerce Business Daily."

Dated: April 12, 1996.

Gary Matlock,

*Program Management Officer, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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#### Marine Mammals

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Receipt of modification request for scientific research permit no. 868 (P539).

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that Norihisa Baba, National Research Institute of Far Seas Fisheries, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries, 5-7-1 Orido, Shimizu, Shizuoka 424, Japan, has requested a modification to permit no. 868 to take the marine mammals listed below for the purpose of scientific research.

**ADDRESSES:** The modification request and related documents are available for review upon written request or by appointment in the following offices:

Permits Division, Office of Protected Resources, NMFS, 1315 East-West Highway, Room 13130, Silver Spring, MD 20910 (301/713-2289); and

Director, Alaska Region, NMFS, P.O. Box 21668, Juneau, AK 99802-1668 (907/586-7221).

Written data or views, or requests for a public hearing on this request, should be submitted to the Chief, Permits

Division, F/PR1, Office of Protected Resources, Silver Spring, MD 20910, within 30 days of the publication of this notice. Those individuals requesting a hearing should set forth the specific reasons why a hearing on this particular request would be appropriate.

Concurrent with the publication of this notice in the Federal Register, the Secretary of Commerce is forwarding copies of this application to the Marine Mammal Commission and its Committee of Scientific Advisors.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The subject modification to permit no. 868, issued on July 19, 1993, (58 FR 39525) is requested under the authority of the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1361 *et seq.*), the Regulation Governing the Taking and Importing of Marine Mammals (50 CFR part 216), the fur Seal Act of 1966, as amended (16 U.S.C. 1151 *et seq.* and fur seal regulations at 50 CFR part 215.

The permit holder seeks authorization to capture, tag, mark, and collect tissue samples from northern fur seals (*Callorhinus ursinus*) in Alaska in June through August 1999. This request would extend the permit from the Modification 1 expiration date of September 30, 1996 until September 30, 1999.

Dated: March 6, 1996.

Ann D. Terbush,

*Chief, Permits & Documentation Division, National Marine Fisheries Service.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

#### Department Of The Air Force

#### Community College Of The Air Force Meeting

The Community College of the Air Force (CCAF) Board of Visitors will hold a meeting on 30 April 1996 at 11:00 a.m. via teleconference. The meeting will be open to the public. Members of the public who wish to attend the meeting may do so via a public access terminal in the Air University Conference Room, Building 800, 55 LeMay Plaza South, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama.

The purpose of the meeting is to review and discuss academic policies and issues relative to the operation of CCAF. Agenda items include reaffirmation of the CCAF and proposed responses by the college to the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges.

For further information, contact Captain Kyle Monson, (334) 953-2703,

Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama, 36112-6613.

Patsy J. Conner,

*Air Force Federal Register Liaison Officer.*

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#### Department of the Army

#### Nontemporary Storage (NTS) Program

**AGENCY:** Military Traffic Management Command (MTMC), DOD.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Provide notification of MTMC's intent to increase warehouseman's legal liability from the current \$50 per article or package to \$1.25 times the net weight (in pounds) of the shipment. The increase in liability will be reflected in a change to paragraphs H-6 and C-7h(2) of the Basic Ordering Agreement (BOA) for Storage of Personal Property and Related Services. The increased liability is intended to improve the quality of service, especially in the area of missing items. This action has already been implemented for International Through Government Bill of Lading (ITGBL) shipments, and domestic interstate and intrastate shipments. This action will provide the military service claims offices more equitable recovery of amounts due for personal property lost or damaged while in NTS. The current process for processing claims will remain the same. Contractors will be given the opportunity to submit new NTS rates prior to implementation of this change to the terms and conditions of the BOA. Implementation is scheduled for 1 Nov 96. The following is the change, by paragraph, to the BOA.

Paragraph H-6a., First Sentence:

#### Liability for Care of Property

a. Except as hereafter provided, and notwithstanding payment for storage and other services, the contractor shall be liable in an amount not exceeding \$1.25 times the net weight (in pounds) of the shipment for any loss or damage to personal property caused by the failure to exercise the care of a reasonably prudent owner of similar property. The contractor shall not be liable for any loss or damage to the personal property which is caused by acts or conditions beyond its control and without fault or negligence.

Paragraph C-7h(2);

Maintain coverage in minimum limits of \$1.25 per pound at each location.